Abstract of Meteorological Register kept at the undermentioned District Head-Quarters for the fortnight ending 15th January 1891.

Head-Quarters.	Thermometer. Averages for the half month.						Thermometer.		Rain.		Wind.
	9-30 A. M.			3-30 P. M.			Maximum.	Minimum.	Inches.	Cents.	
	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Difference.					
Hassan ...	53	...	...	55	...	...	79	77	...	...	...
Shimoga ...	72	...	...	74	...	...	88	46	...	...	E. & W.
Chitaldroog ...	76	62	14	76	62	14	79	56	...	...	S. E. & S. W.
Kolar* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Kadur* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tumkur* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mysore * ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

* Information not received from other stations.

CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

IN THE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE.

Mis. Insolvency Case No. 196 *of* 1890.

In the matter of Abdul Rahiman Sahib, an Insolvent Judgment-debtor.

ORDER.—The application of the above named Abdul Rahiman Sahib to be discharged from the custody, coming on to be heard before me in the presence of the applicant and in the presence of 3rd Respondent Abdul Gani Sahib, being creditor of the said applicant Abdul Rahiman Sahib, and the following creditors although duly served with notice of the hearing, having failed to appear either in person or by Pleader, *viz.*, 1. Sitaramaiya Setti, 2. Abdul Gaffar Sahib.

It is hereby declared that the said Abdul Rahiman Sahib is an insolvent, and, as such, entitled to the benefit of the provisions of Chapter XX of the Code of Civil Procedure, and it is ordered that Nazir of the Civil Court on his giving such security as is hereinafter mentioned be appointed a Receiver of the property of the said Abdul Rahiman Sahib, insolvent; and that the said Nazir do forthwith administer the estate of the said insolvent, and that the said Nazir do retain as a remuneration for the performance of his duties as such Receiver a commission at the rate of per cent upon the amount of the balance distributed by him among the scheduled-creditors of the said insolvent.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 5th day of January 1891.

Mis. Insolvency Case No. 252 *of* 1890.

In the matter of Jagannathachari, an Insolvent Judgment-debtor.

ORDER.—The application of the above named Jagannathachari to be discharged from the custody, coming on to be heard before me in the presence of the applicant Jagannathachari and the following creditors although duly served with notice of the hearing having failed to appear either in person or by Pleader, *viz.*, 1. K. Adaiya Setti, 2. K. Narayana Setti, 3. Ramaiyachari, 4. Kolandavalchari, 5. Parthasarati Mudaliar.

It is hereby declared that the said Jagannathachari is an insolvent, and, as such, entitled to the benefit of the provisions of Chapter XX of the Code of Civil Procedure, and it is ordered that the Nazir of the Civil Court on his giving such security as is hereinafter mentioned be appointed a Receiver of the property of the said Jagannathachari, insolvent; and that the said Nazir do forthwith administer the estate of the said insolvent, and that the said Nazir do retain as a remuneration for the performance of his duties as such Receiver a commission at the rate of per cent upon the amount of the balance distributed by him among the scheduled-creditors of the said insolvent.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 5th day of January 1891.

Mis. Insolvency Case No. 331 *of* 1890.

In the matter of Mr. P. Hayes, an Insolvent Judgment-debtor.

ORDER.—The application of the above named Mr. P. Hayes to be discharged from the custody coming on to be heard before me in the presence of Mr. P. Hayes and in the presence of Mr. Lawrance on the part of 4 Mr. J. W. Hayes, Senior, 10 Lawrance Krishnasawmy and Co., creditors and in the presence of 5 Mr. J. W. Hayes, Junior, 7 Kaji Karimana Sait, 8 Chimnaji Rao, 14 Lalkhan, 19 Boopchand, 20 Fatechand, 22 Mr. H. Lubeck, being creditors of the said applicant Mr. P. Hayes, and the follow-

ing creditors although duly served with notice of the hearing having failed to appear either in person or by Pleader, *viz.*, 1 Bangalore Bank, (Limited), 2 James Burke, 3 Mrs. M. C. Mergler, 6 Mr. R. F. Hayes, 9 Hawkar Venkatasami, 11 Messrs. Abraham and Co., 12 G. D'Silva, 13 C. Leonard, 18 Jan Muhammad, 21 M. S. Rao.

It is hereby declared that the said Mr. P. Hayes is an insolvent, and as such entitled to the benefit of the provisions of Chapter XX of the Code of Civil Procedure, and it is ordered that the Nazir of Civil Court on his giving such security as is hereinafter mentioned be appointed a Receiver of the property of the said Mr. P. Hayes, insolvent; and that the said Nazir do forthwith administer the estate of the said insolvent, and that the said Nazir do retain as a remuneration for the performance of his duties as such Receiver a commission at the rate of per cent upon the amount of the balance distributed by him among the scheduled-creditors of the said insolvent.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 5th day of January 1891.

W. HILL,
Judge.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated Bangalore, the 22nd December 1890.

No. 54.—Tenders are invited for the exclusive privilege of the manufacture and whole-sale vend of arrack in the Province of Coorg for 3 years from the 1st April 1891, to the 31st March 1894 subject to the following conditions :—

1. That the arrack shall be distilled within the Government enclosure at Fraserpet of good palm and sugar-cane jaggory, and that only such quantity of Nayibela bark shall be used in its manufacture as may be necessary and as shall be fixed by the Commissioner.

2. That the price at which arrack 20 degrees under-proof shall be sold at the whole-sale Depôts to licensed vendors is fixed at Rs. 4-8-0 per Imperial gallon of 6 quart bottles: the retail vend rate to the public being fixed at Ans. 1-7 per dram in towns, and Ans. 1-8 in villages. An allowance of 2 per cent will be granted to the contractor on account of wastage.

3. The rate of still-head duty is fixed by the Chief Commissioner at Rs. 3-2-5 per Imperial gallon of spirit 20 degrees under-proof. Each tenderer should specify the minimum amount per annum of revenue which he will guarantee to pay to the British Government on account of the aforesaid still-head duty. In the event of a larger quantity of liquor being issued during a month than would be covered by the monthly payment of the guaranteed amount, the excise duty on each gallon so issued in excess shall also be paid by the holder of the license. In those months in which the issue may be less, the holder will be allowed the benefit of what he may have paid in excess of the monthly guaranteed amount, and a general balance will be struck at the close of each year, when the holder of the license will have to pay the duty on the number of gallons issued during the year in excess of the number of gallons, the duty on which may have been covered by the minimum amount guaranteed by him to the Government.

4. The contractor shall pay Rs. 25 per mensem as rent for the use of the distillery buildings at Fraserpet and shall be bound to take over from the out-going contractors the unexpended stock of arrack, jaggory and bark in the distillery together with the stills, casks, pots, pumps, buildings, &c., at such valuation as may be fixed by the Commissioner.

5. A deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or in Government securities must accompany the tender. The cover should be superscribed with the words, "Tender for the exclusive privilege of the manufacture and whole-sale vend of arrack in Coorg," and must be sent to the Commissioner of Coorg, so as to reach him on or before 12 o'clock (noon) on the 9th February 1891, after which time no tender will be received.

6. The tenders will be opened by the Commissioner at his office at 12 o'clock (noon) on the 10th February, 1891, in the presence of the applicants who may be present. The final disposal of the tenders will, however, rest with the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, who reserves to himself full power to reject any or all of the tenders without assigning any reason. The deposits made by the applicants whose tenders are rejected will be returned to them.

7. The applicant or applicants whose tenders are selected by the Commissioner for recommendation to the Chief Commissioner, shall be required to deposit at once in cash or